The Woman's Club of Palo Alto

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PALO ALTO WOMENS CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, Monday, June 3, 1991

Present:

Gladys May, President
Margaret Gould, 1st Vice President
Betty Bonn, 2nd Vice President
Ella Vandervoort, Treasurer
Georgia Spears, Corresponding Secretary
Jane Barrett, Recording Secretary
Dorothy Arbuckle
Lavon Nixon
Lois Kirk
Grace Bodley
Beulah Hodges
Frances Payne
Lila Wessels
Ina Krikava
Lois Houghton
Thelma Howard
Helen Rowan
Joyce Voorheis, excused
Trudy Lung, excused

The meeting was called to order by Gladys May at 10:15 a.m.

Betty Bonn read the application of proposed new member Mrs. Doris Solovort and the application was approved by the Board.

Georgia Spears read a note of thanks from Palo Alto High School for our gift of a $500 scholarship to a worthy student. Other notes of thanks were read. She also read a letter from Frances Nicol, a non-resident member.

Grace Bodley read the proposed budget for the upcoming year which was then approved by the Board.

Gladys May announced the following appointments:

Auditor - Judy Croxon
Parliamentarian - Frances Payne
Phone Committee Chairman - Lois Kirk
Historian and Keeper of Records - Grace Bodley

The Treasurer, Ella Vandervoort, read the summary of rental receipts for last year, which totaled $14,375. The report was accepted as read.

Recording Secretary Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last Meeting of the Board, which were approved as read.

The Annual Rummage and Boutique Sale was discussed but no conclusion was reached.

The Fashion Show was discussed and a chairman will be appointed.

Gladys May encouraged members to attend the book reviews.

Keys to the Clubhouse were returned by those who no longer need them. Keys were given to some of the new Board Members.

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Meeting of the Board of Directors, Monday, June 3, 1991 (continued)

Beulah Hodges initiated a discussion concerning having bridge at the Clubhouse following the Business Meetings as well as other games as desired. The reaction was favorable.

Georgia Spears announced she will be teaching a class in handiwork. Members should contact her if they would like to knit, crochet, or do other needle work.

Membership and initiation fees were discussed. Gladys May appointed a committee to review current membership rules and make recommendations concerning same.

It was moved, seconded, and approved that the Club will contribute $200 for uniforms to the Palo Alto Little League.

It was moved, seconded, and approved that the Club will again make the Clubhouse available without charge for the use of the AARP's "55 Alive/ Mature Driving" class.

The meeting adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

Submitted:

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

PALO ALTO WOMENS CLUB

Business Meeting, Wednesday, June 5, 1991

The meeting was called to order at 1:45 p.m. by President Gladys May.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was postponed.

The Treasurer's Report was read and approved.

Phoebe Seagrave announced the Book Review Club will meet on the 2nd Monday of every month and encouraged members to participate.

Georgia Spears announced she will conduct a class for needlepoint, knitting, crochet and craft making. The first project will be knitting squares for afghans for hospitalized patients. Interested members should contact Georgia.

Ruth Fluegel reported on bridge luncheons which will occur on the last Wednesday of June, July, and August. All members are encouraged to attend, bringing cards, dominoes or other games as well as friends.

Gladys May reported that there will also be bridge following the monthly business meetings.

There was a discussion about how to attract more members. One suggestion was to have a plaque or sign on the front of the Clubhouse stating who we are, also that the Club is part of the International Federation. Georgia Spears will appoint a committee to help her study the issue.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

GFWC Volunteer

GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Gladys

NEWS RELEASE

PUBLICITY RELEASE

ATTENTION: PENINSULA TIMES-TRIBUNE
BILL SHILSTONE, CITY EDITOR

ATTENTION: PALO ALTO WEEKLY

ATTENTION: PENINSULA EXTRA, SAN JOSE MERCURY

SUBJECT: THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Palo Alto High School senior ELIZABETH ANNE WYLIE is the winner of this year's scholarship award from The Woman's Club of Palo Alto. She plans to continue her studies at the University of California in Berkeley.

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Joyce F. Voorhies, Publicity Chairman
The Woman's Club of Palo Alto
Home Address: 11 Maynard Court, Los Alto
Phone: 949-2223
Date: June 6, 1991

THE PALO ALTO WOMENS' CLUB

Special Meeting: To set the Rental Schedule July 2, 1991

Present:

Gladys May, President
Margaret Gould, 1st Vice President
Betty Bonn, 2nd Vice President
Ella Vandervoort, Treasurer
Georgia Spears, Coordinating Sec'y
Jane Barrett, Recording Secretary
Grace Bodley
Frances Payne
Lila Wessels
Lois Houghton

The meeting was called to order at 10:20 a.m.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last Board of Directors Meeting and a correction was made.

Jane Barrett, the Rental Chairman, read the present schedule of rental charges for the Clubhouse and facilities:

Clubhouse per day - $425
Stage per day - 60
Piano per day - 50

The Board of Directors voted to continue the present rental charges.

A special rental schedule for ten (10) evenings was discussed and the Board set a fee of $2,000. The Board also set a fee for a 3-day weekend seminar in November of $400 per day plus a one-time cleaning deposit.

The Finance Committee and the House and Grounds Committee are herewith requested to review the above fees and make recommendations for possible changes to the Board of Directors.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

PALO ALTO WOMENS CLUB

Special Meeting of the Board of Directors, August 14, 1991

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton
Boots Gould	Georgia Spears
Ella Vandervoort	Phoebe Seagrave
Joyce Voorheis	Trudy Lung
Frances Payne	Ina Krikava
Ruth Fluegel	Betty Bonn
Jane Barrett	Grace Bodley

The meeting was called to order by Gladys May at 10:20 a.m.

Betty Bonn presented the applications of 2 prospective members, Mary Fran Pollard and Florence Wright. Their memberships were approved.

Grace Bodley presented the proposed budget for 199.-92. Considerable discussion followed. Grace will submit a revised proposed budget in September.

Jane Barrett, Recording Secretary, read the minutes of the last Special Board Meeting and the minutes were approved as read.

Joyce Voorheis, Publicity Chairman, led a discussion concerning the yearbook, a draft of which she hopes to complete this month.

The Gaveleers will be having a rummage and boutique sale at Betty Bonn's on September 27th. Lila Wessels will be selling used books, trinkets and plants. She will welcome donations of any of these items. Proceeds of the sale will go to the Scholarship Fund.

Gladys May raised the subject of fees to be charged Dr. Daniels who will be using the Clubhouse on 10 Monday evenings. Last month the Board set the fee at $200 per evening. Dr. Daniels felt this fee was too high and requested a review. After discussion, the Board revised the fee to $175 and Jane Barrett, Rental Chairman will notify Dr. Daniels.

Georgia Spears, Corresponding Secretary, reported the death of Member Mrs. John (Ann) Santana. The Club will give a Memorial in her name to the Scholarship Fund. Georgia also reported the death of former member Ruth Bennie.

Georgia read a letter from Dorothy Arbuckle expressing a desire to resign from the Club. Boots Gould moved to reject the resignation, Grace Bodley seconded the motion, and the Board voted to retain Dorothy as a Member.

A letter from Carol Hampel expressed her desire to resign from the Club. Ella Vandervoort moved to accept the resignation, Ina Krikava seconded

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the motion, and the Board voted to accept the resignation.

The next regular Board Meeting will be Sept. 30, 1991.

The meeting adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

Margaret Farrell

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
June July August 1991

Beginning Balance			**$5,337.19**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$1,692.50		
Dues	205.00		
Activities	650.00		
Add to Cash from Scholarship Fund	1,000.00	$3,547.50	3,547.50
		Total Receipts	$8,884.69
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian & Property Management	1,550.00		
Personal Prop. Tax	219.02		
Utilities	461.28	2,230.30	
General Expense			
Activities Expense	375.97		
Office & Postage	150.00		
Telephone	148.94		
GFWC Dues	122.00		
State Dues	76.25		
District Dues	45.75		
In Memoriam - Brichta & Santana	50.00		
Donation Amer. Legion for Little Leagues	200.00		
Donation Scholarship Taft Schove	105.00		
Convention Expense	276.06		
President's Pin	2.00	1,551.97	
Other Expenses			
Refund, Rental Deposits	450.00		
Deposit in Wells Fargo Int.Bearing Chk. Acct. from Scholarship Fund	1,000.00	1,450.00	
		Total Paid Out	$5,232.27
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 8-31-91			**$3,652.42**

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,264.54
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	7,364.33

GFWC Volunteer

GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

NEWS RELEASE

PUBLICITY RELEASE - COMMUNITY BULLETIN

ATTENTION: PENINSULA TIMES-TRIBUNE
BILL SHILSTONE, CITY EDITOR

ATTENTION: PALO ALTO WEEKLY

SUBJECT: THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO FALL RECEPTION SEPTEMBER 18, 1991

The Woman's Club of Palo Alto will launch the fall season with a reception and musical program on Wednesday, September 18 at 1:00 P.M. at the clubhouse, 475 Homer Avenue. New Officers and board members will be on hand to greet members and guests and refreshments will be served by past presidents, the Gaveleers.

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Joyce F. Voorhies, Publicity Chairman
The Woman's Club of Palo Alto
Home Address: 11 Maynard Court, Los Altos
Phone: 949-2223
Date: September 5, 1991

PALO ALTO WOMENS CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, September 30, 1991

Present:

Gladys May	Lila Wessels
Lois Houghton	Frances Payne
Ruth Fluegel	Ella Vandervoort
Jane Barrett	Joyce Voorheis
Betty Bonn	Phoebe Seagrave
Beulah Hodges	Trudy Lung

The meeting was called to order by Gladys May at 10:15 a.m.

The minutes of the last meeting were not read as Georgia Spears, who had acted as Recording Secretary at the last meeting, was not present.

The Treasurer, Ella Vandervoort, announced that Vera Hammerton has now paid her annual dues; a motion to reinstate her membership was made by Lila Wessels, seconded by Jane Barrett, and approved by the Board.

Ella read the Treasurer's Report and it was approved by the Board.

It was moved by Phoebe Seagrave, seconded by Betty Bonn, and approved by the Board that bills of $50 or more (except for regular monthly bills) ~~must~~ should be approved by the Board before payment by the Treasurer.

The House and Grounds Committee was directed to meet with the custodians before the next meeting of the Board to discuss rental policy and procedures.

Ella Vandervoort reported that a net profit of $275 was realized on the three summer luncheons. She also reported that a donation has been received by the Scholarship Fund in memory of Theresa Christmas.

In respect to the annual Veterans Bridge on October 16th, Gladys May will be in charge, Georgia Spears will again be responsible for refreshments and Lois Houghton will take reservations.

Gladys May reported that Dorothy Salabert has inquired about the cost of use of the Clubhouse for three days in November. The Board concluded that it did not have enough information to make a decision and Jane Barrett was directed to discuss the purpose of the rental with Dorothy.

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Board of Directors Meeting, Sept. 30, 1991 (cont.)

Francis Payne, By-Laws Committee Chairman, requested a recommendation from the Board regarding revision of initiation and annual membership dues. Individual Board Members expressed their views regarding the possibility of cancelling initiation fees and retaining or lowering the charge for annual dues, a range of $15 to $30 being discussed. However, no consensus was reached.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
September 1991

Beginning Balance			**$3,652.42**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$952.50		
Dues	---		
Activities	---		
Add to Cash	---	$952.50	952.50
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian & Property Managements	500.00		
Utilities	148.80	648.80	
General Expense			
Activities Expense	16.65		
Yr. Bk. & Bulletin	324.75		
Telephone	50.12	391.52	
Other Expenses			
Refund, Rental Deposits	250.00	250.00	$1,290.32
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 9-30-91			**$3,314.60**

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,312.35
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	7,394.32

Gladys

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Special Meeting of the Board of Directors, October 10, 1991

Present:

Gladys May	Beulah Hodges
Jane Barrett	Trudy Lung
Grace Bodley	Phoebe Seagrave
Betty Bonn	*Georgia Spears
*Ruth Fluegel	Ella Vandervoort
Margaret Gould	Lila Wessels
Lois Houghton	

*Excused from this meeting

The meeting was called to order by Gladys May at 11:10 a.m.

Tom Salabert's letter of resignation was read. Lois Houghton moved to accept the resignation, Boots Gould seconded the motion, and the resignation was accepted by the Board.

The House and Grounds Committee was directed to investigate hiring someone to do the yard work. and to hire a custodian.

Gladys May reported that Theresa Christmas has willed $1,000 to the Club.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
October 1991

Beginning Balance			**$3,314.60**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$1,966.50		
Dues	30.00		
Activities	375.25	$2,371.75	2,371.75
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian & Property Managements	500.00		
Household	219.80		
Utilities	159.09	878.89	
General Expense			
Activities Bulletin	None		
Year Book Bulletin	33.77		
Telephone	65.37		
Program	25.00		
Dist. Meeting	18.00		
In Memoriam T. Christmas	25.00	167.14	
Other Expenses			
Refund, Rental Deposits	194.00	194.00	$1,240.03
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 10-31-91			**$4,446.32**

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,337.35
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	7,424.84

JASPER L. SEARLES
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September 30, 1991

To: Each beneficiary and each contingent beneficiary named in the Will of THERESA A. CHRISTMAS who died 22 Aug. 1991

Re: Probate Estate of Theresa A. Christmas

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the PETITION FOR PROBATE of the Will of Theresa A. Christmas together with a copy of the NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE of decedent and a copy of decedent's WILL

The purpose of the NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE is to give anyone who desires to object to the PETITION FOR PROBATE of decedent's Will an opportunity to do so in the manner provided by law. If you do not object, it is not necessary for you to appear personally at the hearing.

Authority has been requested to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. This authority would reduce to some extent the court supervision ordinarily required, thus expediting the administration of the estate.

It is expected that the probate estate will not exceed the sum of $20,000 as most of the decedent's assets were left in a living trust.

If you have any questions regarding the estate I shall be pleased to answer them.

Sincerely yours,

J. L. Searles

J. L. Searles
Attorney for Petitioner

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Enclosures

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Gladys

Business Meeting, October 16, 1991

Our guest speaker, Lt. Commander Tom McMurray from Moffett Field Naval Air Station, gave an interesting and informative talk and slide show about the history, organization, and operations at Moffett Field, as well as the pending closure.

Following Lt. Commander McMurray's talk, President Gladys May called the Business Meeting to order at 1:45 p.m.

Gladys May reported that Betty Brichta is in the hospital. She also reported that Theresa Christmas, who recently passed away, has left $1,000 to the Women's Club in her will.

Gladys announced that a new Custodian has been hired.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

Gladys

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, November 4, 1991

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton	
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava	
Grace Bodley	Beulah Hodges	
Betty Bonn	*Georgia Spears	
Betty Brichta	Ella Vandervoort	
Ruth Fluegel	Lila Wessels	
*Margaret Gould	Trudy Lung	*Excused from this meeting
Phoebe Seagrave		

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:30 a.m.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting and the minutes were approved as read.

Ella Vandervoort read the Treasurer's Report and it was filed for audit.

Ella reported that the Club must pay the annual $100.00 "Public Assembly Fee" to the City of Palo Alto and payment was approved by the Board.

Jane Barrett submitted a bill for $58.63 for printing, stamps, coffee and soap and payment was approved by the Board.

Gladys May reported that some members are going to the General Federation District #9 meeting in Cupertino on November 11th.

Jane Barrett reported on rental activity and what she is doing to solicit more rentals. Ideas were solicited from the group.

Gladys reported that an application for membership is expected by Dec. 1st. She also reported that Sarah French has expressed interest in joining along with several friends.

Trudy Lung reported that the husband of Frances May has passed away and the funeral will occur on November 4 at 2:00 p.m. A $25.00 donation will be made to the Scholarship fund in Mr. ~~Lung's~~ MAY's memory.

Betty Bonn made a motion, seconded by Lois Houghton, to give the same gratuity to the Silver Strands as was given the last time they performed and the Board approved the motion.

Gladys May reported that Lois Kirk has resigned from her Merry-Go-Round bridge group and that a fill-in is needed. LOIS HOUGHTON

The meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
November 1991

Beginning Balance			**$4,446.32**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$1,430.00		
Dues	---		
Activities	33.55	$1,463.55	1,463.55
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian	133.00		
Utilities	140.78		
Property Tax			
Real Estate	644.05		
Household	5.21		
Permit City of Palo Alto	100.00	1,023.04	
General Expense			
Activities	33.54		
Year Book Bulletin	35.13		
Office & Postage	32.40		
Telephone	55.63		
Dist. Meeting	8.00		
In Memoriam Sam May and Ruth Davidson	50.00		
Ck.Chg.Stop Paym't	7.00	221.70	
Other Expenses			
Refund Rentals	None	None	$1,244.74
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 11-30-91			**$4,665.13**

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,387.35
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	7,454.25

Gladys

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

General Business Meeting, November 6, 1991

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 1:45 p.m.

Gladys May introduced Lucille Larson, a prospective member.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved as read.

Ella Vandervoort read the Financial Report. There were no questions.

Phoebe Seagrave announced that the Book Review Meeting will be on the 3rd Monday of the month from now on.

Georgia Spears reported that, among all of the Federated Women's Clubs, our Club honored more women veterans than any other through donations to the Women's Veterans' Memorial.

Jancy Limpert agreed to help with the Fashion Show in March, 1992.

Jane Barrett reported that she is able to call the answering machine at the Clubhouse and have it transmit the recorded messages to her, a great help to the Rental Chairman.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
Medical Center
3801 Miranda Avenue
Palo Alto CA 94304

In Reply Refer To:
640/135MP

November 26, 1991

Dear Volunteer:

Please accept our thanks and appreciation for your support of the 1991 Very Special Arts Festival for veterans August 19th & 20th.

This year's event was one of the best. There were 235 patients that participated in the "hands on the arts" project Monday night and over 287 veteran patients that performed or attended day 2 of the VSA Festival.

We are very proud of the level and quality of art participation ranging from decorated baseball caps to a 300 lb. painted whale hip bone.

This fabulous creative extravaganza would never have been possible without the generous support of volunteers like yourself, and the generous contribution of numerous supporters behind the scenes.

Thanks to you, our VA Medical Center VSA Festival is a model for all veteran hospitals nationally.

On behalf of the patients and staff here at the VA, thank you all for everything you have done and continue to do.

Sincerely yours,

Frank J. Schleifer

FRANK SCHLEIFER
Asst. Chief, Voluntary Service

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, December 2, 1991

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava
Grace Bodley	*Beulah Hodges
Betty Bonn	Georgia Spears
Betty Brichta	Ella Vandervoort
Ruth Fluegel	Lila Wessels
Margaret Gould	

*Excused from this meeting

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:20 a.m.

Gladys reported that rentals of the Clubhouse are down in recent months in spite of valiant efforts by the Rental Committee; however, there are already a good volume of rentals scheduled for 1992.

The Tresurer's Report was read by Ella Vandervoort and filed for audit after some discussion.

Betty Bonn, Membership Chairman, read a letter from Sarah French expressing a desire to become a member. A motion to accept the application was made by Lois Houghton, seconded by Margaret Gould, and approved by the Board. Sarah French will be initiated along with Lucille Larson in January.

Georgia Spears, Hospitality Chairman, asked for volunteers to help with food service for the December 4th Business Meetoing. Gladys May suggested that the hostess should attempt to sell leftover food to the members.

Gladys May reported that the District requests that gifts for veterans be furnished by December 4th. Ruth Fluegel volunteered to deliver the gifts to the Menlo Park V.A. Hospital.

Georgia Spears read a note from Betty Brichte, who is recovering from surgery.

Ella Vandervoort read a letter from the Palo Alto Jr. League thanking us for the donation we made, also requesting another donation to ~~make~~ to their football league. Ella made a motion to contribute $200, it was seconded by Ruth Fluegel, but the discussion that followed revealed some concern whether it was the Jr. League's football or baseball activities that the Club had been supporting. Ella then withdrew her motion and volunteered to investigate the purpose of past donations.

Grace Bodley, Finance Chairman suggested that all requests for donations should go to the Finance Committee before coming to the Board, and the Board agreed that this will be done in the future.

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Meeting of the Board of Directors, December 2, 1991 (continued)

Jane Barrett, Rental Chairman, gave a report, suggesting a possibility for rental might be the Los Amigos Dance Club, which will need a new facility when the YMCA starts remodelling. Jane was requested to pursue the matter as it could represent steady income for the Club. Jane made a motion that the Club place an ad in Yellow Pages under "Banquet Rooms" at a cost of $4.50 per month, which order must be placed by February 1st; it was seconded by Margaret Gould and approved by the Board. Phoebe Seagrave was appointed to make arrangements with Pacific Bell.

Jane also reported Swain's House of Music tuned the Club's two pianos recently but that there have been some complaints about the Steinway; she will call the piano tuner this week and discuss the problem.

Gladys May reported that the singers from Little House are looking for a place to practice in the future. The matter was tabled for a later meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
December 1991

Pres. Copy

Beginning Balance			**$4,665.13**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$2,492.50		
Dues	61.00		
Activities	47.00	$2,600.50	2,600.50
Disbursements:			
Building Expense	None		
Utilities	None		
Household	40.97	40.97	
General Expense			
Activities	None		
Year Book Bulletin	28.12		
Office & Postage	70.67		
Telephone	51.33		
Program	100.00	Cliff Hawkins	
Young Musicians Donation	25.00	275.12	
Other Expenses			
Refund Rental Dep.	65.00	65.00	$381.09
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 11-30-91			**$6,884.54**

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,387.35
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	7,454.25

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Business Meeting of December 4, 1991

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 2:00 p.m.

Vice President Margaret Gould reported on the Federation District Meeting she attended recently. She encouraged all members to attend. The next Federation District Meeting will be January 18th.

Margaret suggested that the Club buy a permanent Christmas tree for the Clubhouse.

Margaret also requested that members bring money, canned goods, and clothing for the homeless to the meeting on December 18th.

The December 18th meeting will be at 12:00 noon. Members are requested to bring "finger food" to share, such as sandwiches, cookies, fruit, etc.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last Business Meeting and they were approved as read.

Margaret Gould, House and Grounds Chairman, reported that the Fire Inspector was here today and he found several violations, which the House and Grounds Committee will correct.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

GFWC Volunteer

GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Gladys

NEWS RELEASE

PUBLICITY RELEASE

ATTENTION: PENINSULA TIMES-TRIBUNE
BILL SHILSTONE, CITY EDITOR

ATTENTION: PALO ALTO WEEKLY

SUBJECT: FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO CHRISTMAS PARTY DECEMBER 18, 1991

The Federated Woman's Club of Palo Alto will hold its annual Christmas party on December 18 at 12 noon at the clubhouse, 475 Homer Avenue. Refreshments will be served and an exchange of gifts. The Junior League's singing group "The Clef Hangers" will entertain with carols. For further information: 325-4749.

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Home Address: 11 Maynard Court, Los Altos
Phone: 949-2223
Date: December 5, 1991

Dear Gladys:

The above publicity release might not find its way into print, but no harm trying!

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
Medical Center
3801 Miranda Avenue
Palo Alto CA 94304

In Reply Refer To:
640/135MP

December 20, 1991

Palo Alto Womens CLub
475 Homer Avenue
Palo Alto, CA 94306

Dear Friends:

Your concern and interest in the welfare of our hospitalized veterans is meaningful to us. We appreciate your recent donation of 20 gifts.

Your help and support helps make the patients stay more comfortable and assists in their speedy recovery. The patients and staff join us in saying thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Schleifer
for GEORGE D. FRYE
Chief, Voluntary Service

cc: VAVS Representative

Many thanks for your generous & beautifully wrapped Christmas presents. These were distributed on Christmas day to veterans who could not leave on pass. Thanks to your support 20 lucky veterans had a very merry Christmas.

Frank

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, January 6, 1992

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton	
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava	
**Grace Bodley	Frances Payne	
Betty Bonn	*Georgia Spears	
**Betty Brichta	*Ella Vandervoort	
**Ruth Fluegel	*Joyce Voorhies	
**Margaret Gould	Lila Wessels	**Absent
Beulah Hodges		*Excused from this meeting

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:10 a.m.

Beulah Hodges moved to give $10.00 toward a gift for the outgoing president of the Loma Prieta District. The motion was seconded by Ina Krikava and approved by the Board.

Gladys May read a letter of appreciation from the Veterans Administration for the money sent for art supplies.

There will be a short business meeting on January 15 at the Birthday Pot Luck luncheon. Lila Wessels will chair the luncheon.

On Saturday, January 18, the Loma Prieta District will meet in Los Gatos and members were encouraged to attend.

A membership application from Sandra Bishop Eggert was read by Gladys. Lois Houghton moved to accept her membership, Ina Krikava seconded the motion and the Board of Directors approved the application.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting and they were approved as read.

Jane gave a report on rentals, which are increasing nicely.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
January 1992

Beginning Balance			**$6,884.54**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$4,342.50		
Activities	12.00	$4,354.50	4,354.50
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian	600.00		
Household	119.00		
Bldg Insurance	1,637.00		
Fire Extinguisher	141.37		
Utilities	381.51	2,878.88	
General Expense			
Activities	24.18		
Telephone	66.04	90.22	
Other Expenses			
Refund Rental Dep.	700.00		
Gift: Calif.Fed.Women	10.00	710.00	$3,679.10
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 11-30-91			**$7,559.94**

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acct: # 4,559.94

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,387.35
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	# 7,503.11
(Market Rate acct) # 3000	3,000
	# 10,503.11

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Business Meeting of January 15, 1992

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 1:15 p.m.

Gladys thanked everyone for bringing food for the Pot Luck Birthday Luncheon.

Gladys asked for nominations for the Nomination Committee and the following were nominated and agreed to serve:

Phoebe Seagrave
Margaret Gould
Frances Payne
Dorothy Arbuckle
Georgia Spears

The following were then installed as new members of the Women's Club:

Sarah French
Doris Solabert
Sandra Bishop Eggert
Mary Fran Pollard
Flo Wright
Lucille Larson

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, February 3, 1992

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava
Grace Bodley	Frances Payne
Betty Bonn	Georgia Spears
*Betty Brichta	Ella Vandervoort
Ruth Fluegel	Joyce Voorhies
Margaret Gould	Lila Wessels
*Beulah Hodges	

*Absent

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:15 a.m.

A Valentine's Day Party was discussed versus a President's Day Party and it was decided to have a President's Day Party on February 19. Members are asked to make up a bridge or other game and bring friends. The charge will be $2.00 and, hopefully, the Club will make some money for the Scholarship Fund or for needy veterans.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting, which were approved as read.

Ella Vandervoort read the Financial Report and it was filed for audit.

Corresponding Secretary Georgia Spears gave her report. She has been ill but will catch up on her correspondence soon.

Program Chairman Trudy Lund reported that Mr. Pierce from Merrill Lynch will speak at the meeting of February 6th.

Vice President Margaret Gould reported that she needs help with the annual reports. Volunteers are requested to call her.

House and Grounds Committee Chairman Margaret Gould gave a report on work that the new housekeepers have done. Margaret made a motion to buy a new pair of pruning shears for the housekeepers to use. The motion was seconded by Ruth Fluegel and approved by the Board.

Joyce Voornies reported that the newletters have been mailed. It was suggested that, if possible, she should bring newsletters to the Board Meeting for the Directors, thus saving stamp money.

Santa Clara County needs a polling place for the June 2 and November 3 elections. It was agreed to let them use the Clubhouse.

Parliamentarian Frances Payne reported that we must provide a luncheon for the District Meeting which will be held at the Clubhouse on March 9. Gladys May will call the District President for instructions regarding the

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luncheon. The following Board Members agreed to help with the luncheon:

Lois Houghton	Phoebe Segraves
Margaret Gould	Ruth Fluegel
Joyce Voorhies	Georgia Spears
Trudy Lung	

Rental Chairman Jane Barrett asked the Board to approve a $50.00 increase in the rental fee for the Clubhouse and a $50.00 increase in the required cleaning deposit. The increases would bring the rental fee to $475.00 and the cleaning deposit to $200.00. A motion for the increases was made by Lois Houghton, seconded by Ella Vandervoort, and approved by the Board.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
February 1992

Beginning Balance			**$7,559.94**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$1,194.50		
Activities	None	$1,194.50	1,194.50
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian	600.00		
Household	None		
Utilities	318.25	918.25	
General Expense			
Activities	24.73		
~~Year Book~~ MONTHLY Bulletin	63.28		
Telephone	51.26	139.27	
Other Expenses			
Refund Rental Dep.	400.00		
In Memorium (Weiler)	25.00	425.00	$1,482.52
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand 11-30-91			**$7,271.92**

Great Western Building Fund 6.35 / Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$11,720.46 #13,430.56 CD
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,427.33
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	7,522.79

#785.00 —
100.00 — donation
#456.00 — Caterer

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, March 2, 1992

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava
Grace Bodley	Frances Payne
Betty Bonn	*Georgia Spears
*Betty Brichta	Ella Vandervoort
Ruth Fluegel	*Joyce Voorhies
*Margaret Gould	Lila Wessels
*Beulah Hodges	

*Absent

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:15 a.m.

Recording Secretary Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved as read.

Treasurer Ella Vandervoort read the Treasurer's Report which was filed for audit. Phoebe Seagraves suggested that we transfer about $3,000 from the non-interest bearing account to our interest-bearing account. Ella Vandervoort moved to do this, seconded by Ruth Fluegel, and the Board approved

Rental Chairman Jane Barrett reported she has requested two Handicapped Parking spaces near the Clubhouse from the Palo Alto Transportation Dept., and it will advise if it makes such a recommendation to the City Council.

Membership Chairman Betty Bonn reported that Sarah French has submitted her applicatioon for membership as well as initiation fee and dues.

Gladys May reported that the House and Grounds Committee recently selected an exterminator company to eradicate pests from Clubhouse premises and do a monthly inspection since fresh evidence of pests were found on site.

Grace Bodley moved we give $300 to the city's Recreation Dept. for the Willie McCovey Baseball League; Betty Bonn seconded, and the Board approved.

Loma Prieta District's Annual Convention on April 3-4 was discussed. Members are urged to attend and make reservations as soon as possible.

Irene Laurence has sustained a broken leg; she will welcome get-well cards.

The meeting was adjourned then immediately reconvened by Gladys May. Gladys appointed a Committee to see that all current and previous records are properly transferred to the new officers. Committee members are:

Phoebe Seagraves (Chairman), Ruth Fluegel, Lois Houghton, Ina Krikava, Trudy Lung

Paliamentarian Frances Payne noted that the By-Laws state that the retiring officer must submit a written report as well as records to the new officer.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett, Recording Secretary

TREASURERS REPORT

FOR JANUARY & FEBRUARY 1992

March 9, 1992

Balance as of December 31, 1991			$2,509.59
INCOME			
Reg/NS		$28.25	
Ways & Means		87.00	
Veterans		80.84	
CFWC - Donation/Make-A-Wish/ Mt.View		20.00	
Interest		42.45	
Savings account	$32.28		
Checking account	10.17		
Misc.		60.00	
Total Income			318.54
Balance			$2,828.13
DISBURSEMENTS			
Newsletter/Yearbook		$ 60.26	
Veterans		260.00	
CFWC		120.00	
10 binders @10.00 each	100.00		
Donation	20.00		
Admin. Exp.		34.22	
Misc. - HOBY		55.00	
Total Disbursements			529.48
Balance as of February 29, 1992			$2,298.65

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WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report
March 1992

Beginning Balance			**$7,271.92**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$1,622.50		
Dues	22.50		
Activities	1,595.50		3,240.50
Disbursements:			
Building Expense			
Custodian	None		
Household	69.35		
Utilities	207.08	276.43	
General Expense			
Activities	1,080.04		
Year Book-Bulletin	None		
Office & Postage	94.55		
Telephone	56.33	1,230.92	
Other Expenses			
Refund Rental Dep.	455.00		
Transfer Funds from Wells Fargo Chk. Acct. to Wells Fargo Int. Bear'g Chk. Acct. No.6277-049565	3,000.00		
Donation to Willie McCovey Baseball Team	300.00		
Loma Prieta Dist.- 47 People at .25¢	11.75	3,766.75	$5,274.10
Wells Fargo Checking Account On Hand			**$5,238.32**

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 6.350	$13,430.60
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,427.33
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	10,544.74

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Business Meeting of March 4, 1992

A quorum was not present, so the meeting was postponed until April.

For information, Frances Payne gave the following report from the Nominating Committee:

The Nominating Committee submits the following slate of officers for the Women's Club of Palo Alto for the Club Year of 1992 - 1993:

President	- Margaret Gould
1st Vice President	- Lois Houghton
2nd Vice President	- Trudy Lung
Recording Secretary	- Jane Barrett
Corresponding Secretary	- Georgia Spears
Treasurer	- Ella Vandervoort
Finance Officer	- Phoebe Seagrave

Members of the Board of Directors for a 2-year term, 6-01-92 to 5-31-93:

Dorothy Arbuckle
Grace Bodley
Betty Bonn
Frances Payne

Woman's Club of Palo Alto

Presents

Its 65th Annual Fashion Show

"New for Spring"

Featuring Leslie Wall's

The Golden Girls Fashions

March 20 1991

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, March 30, 1992

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava
Grace Bodley	Frances Payne
Betty Bonn	Georgia Spears
*Betty Brichta	Ella Vandervoort
Ruth Fluegel	*Joyce Voorhies
Margaret Gould	Lila Wessels
*Beulah Hodges	

*Absent

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:05 a.m.

Recording Secretary Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting, which were approved as read.

Corresponding Secretary Georgia Spears read the names of members to whom she recently sent get-well cards.

Vice President and House and Grounds Committee Chairman Margaret Gould reported that the housekeepers are cleaning many more hours than the 5 hours per week they bargained for. She has asked them for a report on their hours worked, then she and her Committee will formulate a plan for adequate compensation. Many Board Members agreed that the Clubhouse is looking much better and we should attempt to retain the housekeepers' services.

Margaret also reported that the exterior brown trim is in dire need of paint and Jane Barrett is obtaining painting estimates. Jane will also obtain estimates for weekly gardening service.

Membership Committee Chairman Betty Bonn reported no new members.

Treasurer Ella Vandervoort gave the Treasurer's Report. One minor correction was made, placing a comma between "year book" and "bulletin." The Report was filed for audit.

Grace Bodley inquired what amount was to be given in scholarships this year and she was assured it will remain at $500.

Phoebe Seagrave, Chairman of an ad hoc committee created to see that all current and previous records are properly transferred to the new officers, requested that all current officers give to her Committee a report of what they are doing. These reports will be given to her at the next Meeting.

Entertainment Committee Chairman Trudy Lung reported that a harpist will perform in the Clubhouse on April 15th at the Luncheon honoring Past Presidents. Trudy will also have her Boutique that day. Georgia Spears asked for volunteers to help her with the luncheon.

Membership dues were discussed. Georgia Spears advised that the initiation fee will be dropped and annual dues will remain at $30.00.

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GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

NEWS RELEASE

PUBLICITY RELEASE

ATTENTION: PENINSULA TIMES TRIBUNE
BILLS SHILSTONE, CITY EDITOR

ATTENTION: PALO ALTO WEEKLY

SUBJECT: FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO - HOST TO DISTRICT MEETING MARCH 9.

The Woman's Club of Palo Alto will be the host club at the Loma Prieta District Meeting on Monday, March 9, at the clubhouse, 475 Homer Avenue. Registration will commence at 9 AM, followed by meeting and Junior Art Show and luncheon. Reservations: 325-4749.

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Joyce F. Voorhies, Publicity Chairman
Woman's Club of Palo Alto
Tel. 949-2223

Date: February 24, 1992

GFWC Volunteer

GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

NEWS RELEASE

PUBLICITY RELEASE

ATTENTION: PENINSULA TIMES TRIBUNE
BILL SHILSTONE, CITY EDITOR

ATTENTION: PALO ALTO WEEKLY

ATTENTION: LOS ALTOS TOWN CRIER

SUBJECT: FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO - SPRING FASHION SHOW MARCH 18, 1992

The Federated Woman's club of Palo Alto presents its annual benefit fashion show on Wednesday, March 18 at noon at the clubhouse, 475 Homer Avenue.

The event will feature "FASHIONS FROM OTHER CULTURES", luncheon and door prizes. Tickets are $12 and must be bought in advance.

For more information telephone (415) 328-8969.

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Joyce F. Voorhies, Publicity Chm.
Fed. Woman's Club of Palo Alto
Address: 11 Maynard Court, Los Altos
Phone: 949-2223
Date: February 24, 1992

PALO ALTO WOMEN'S CLUB

Business Meeting of April 1, 1992

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 1:50 p.m.

Trudy Lung read an inspirational poem and Georgia Spears read "A Collect for Every Woman."

Recording Secretary Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting, which were approved as read.

Treasurer Ella Vandervoort read the Treasurer's Report, which was then filed for audit.

Gladys reported that Boots Gould and Frances Payne will be delegates to the District Meeting on April 3 - 4 in Milpitas. Jane Barrett will be an alternate delegate. Members are encouraged to attend.

Georgia moved that the Club should pay the delegate's expenses, the motion was seconded, and, after a brief discussion, the motion was approved.

Frances Payne read the slate of nominations for the coming year. Georgia Spears moved that a unanimous ballot be recorded by the Recording Secretary, Betty Bonn seconded the motion, and it was approved by the members. The new officers are:

Margaret Gould, President
Lois Houghton, 1st Vice President
Trudy Lung, 2nd Vice President
Jane Barrett, Recording Secretary
Georgia Spears, Corresponding Secretary
Ella Vandervoort, Treasurer
Phoebe Seagrave, Finance Officer

Members of the Board of Directors for a 2-year term, 6-01-92 to 5-31-94, are

Dorothy Arbuckle
Grace Bodley
Betty Bonn
Frances Payne

A discussion occurred regarding poor attendance at Business Meetings. It was suggested that the Board of Directors' Meeting also be scheduled for the 1st Wednesday of the month, just prior to the Business Meeting. Another suggestion was to encourage Board Members to attend by cancelling their appointments to the Board if they miss either 3 Board Meetings or 3 Business Meetings. These items will be brought up at the next Board Meeting.

Scholarship awards versus contributions to the Little League of Palo Alto were discussed. Grace Bodley moved to give $500 for scholarships and $500 to the Little League, the motion was seconded by Jane Barrett, and approved by the membership.

Lois Houghton requested every current Officer and Committee Chairman to submit a report of their duties, what was done this year, and recommendations

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for the coming year to the ad hoc committee that Lois serves on by the next Board Meeting on May 4th.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

PALO ALTO WOMEN"S CLUB

Meeting of the Board of Directors, May 4, 1992

Present:

Gladys May	Lois Houghton
Jane Barrett	Ina Krikava
Grace Bodley	Frances Payne
Betty Bonn	Georgia Spears
*Betty Brichta	Ella Vandervoort
Ruth Fluegel	Joyce Voorhies
*Margaret Gould	Lila Wessels
Beulah Hodges	

*Absent

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 10:20 a.m.

Georgia Spears announced that Santa Clara County will have their voting booths at the Clubhouse on June 2. A discussion followed regarding compensation for the members who help at the polls. Lois Houghton moved that the members should keep their pay rather than donate to the Club. The motion was approved by the Board. Georgia will be given a key by Rental Chairman Jane Barrett and will be responsible for security of the Clubhouse following the event.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved as read.

Ella Vandervoort read the Financial Report which was then filed for audit.

Membership Chairman Betty Bonn brought up a request from a long-time member who now requests a lesser membership fee since she is unable to attend the meetings. A discussion followed and Ruth Fluegel moved that her membership should be paid by the Board and a note sent simply reading "The dues have been paid." Grace Bodley seconded the motion, which was passed by the Board.

Scholarship Chairman Grace Bodley reported that she has asked Lila Wessels to take over as Chairman while Grace is away.

Corresponding Secretary Georgia Spears reported that she had received no reports of members' illnesses during the last month.

Georgia also reminded the Board about the "55-Alive" program on May 12 - 14.

Margaret Gould, House and Grounds Committee Chairman was absent and at her request Jane Barrett gave a report of the Committee's search for a painting contractor for the exterior of the Clubhouse. The Committee recommended that El Gato Painting be given the contract for $7,790, which was approved by the Board.

Jane also reported that Homero Juarez was the selection for gardener. He will do the yard work weekly for $75 per month, which was approved by the Board.

Ella Vandervoort reported that, of the 66 active members, 41 have paid dues. This year four members resigned and one member passed away.

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Ella also read a letter of thanks from the City of Palo Alto for our donation to the Willie McCovey Baseball League.
The meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.
Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

PALO ALTO WOMEN"S CLUB

Business Meeting of May 6, 1992

The meeting was called to order by President Gladys May at 2:20 p.m.

Jane Barrett read the minutes of the last meeting, which included the slate of prospective officers and directors. The minutes were approved as read with one correction: Trudy Lung has withdrawn her name as a candidate for 2nd Vice President and Beulah Hodges was selected to run for that position.

The slate now reads:

Margaret Gould	- President
Lois Houghton	- 1st Vice President
Beulah Hodges	- 2nd Vice President
Jane Barrett	- Recording Secretary
Ella Vandervoort	- Treasurer
Georgia Spears	- Corresponding Secretary

Prosepectivbe members to serve as Director for 2-year term, 6-01-92 - 5-31-94:

Dorothy Arbuckle
Grace Bodley
Betty Bonn
Frances Payne

Georgia Spears moved that the slate of officers and directors be approved as read. The motion was seconded by Lyndall Godel and approved by a vote of the members.

Georgia Betty Spears reported that the installation of officers will occur on May 20th following a luncheon of sandwiches and dessert at 12:00 noon.

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Barrett

Jane Barrett,
Recording Secretary

President's Report-Woman's Club of Palo Alto

We are happy to lreport the addition of 6 new members but sad to report the passing of 5 of our older regulars. Our goal next year is an increase of 10.

Our functions this year included:

1. We hosted a District Meeting.
2. Presented a fashion show.
3. Held a rummage sale.
4. Made donations of $300.00 to a Palo Alto Little League team, a $500.00 scholarship to a high school student, gave smaller amounts to other charities. We also helped the fire victims of Oakland with clothes and money and the Veterans with money, cookies, gifts, and time.
5. Hosted the 55 Alive Classes.

We have a book section, several Bridge sections, and a learning to knit and crochet section which is just starting.

Gladys May

President

Treasurer's Report 6-1-91 to 6-1-92 (con't.)

Great Western Building Fund Account No. 058645269-1, Bearing Interest 7.85	$13,430.60
Great Western Scholarship Fund - Account No. 307-004-502	1,427.33
Wells Fargo Interest Bearing Checking Account #6277-049565	5,611.97

Foot Note:

Interest Received 1991-1992 Account # 6277-049565	-	300.96	Included in above figure.
Interest Received 1991-1992 Scholarship Fund # 307-004-502	-	63.88	Included in above figure.

SUMMARY

RENTALS

1989-90		$20,577.00	
	Less Refunds	3,567.00	
			Net $17,010.00
1990-91		$17,843.50	
	Less Refunds	3,468.00	
			Net $14,375.50
1991-92		$19,499.00	
	Less Refunds	3,214.00	
			Net $16,285.00

SUMMARY

DONATIONS

6-1-91 to 6-1-92

Donation American Legion (Little League)	$ 200.00
Donation Scholarship (Taft School)	105.00
Young Musicians	25.00
Willie McCovey Baseball	300.00
Willie McCovey Baseball	200.00
Scholarship	500.00
	$1,330.00

WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO

Treasurer's Report 6-1-91 to 6-1-92

Beginning Balance			**$5,337.19**
Receipts:			
Rentals	$19,499.00		
Activities	2,753.85		
Dues	1,879.30		
Add to Cash Withdrew from Scholarship F'd	1,000.00		
Add to Cash Transfer Funds From Int. Bearing Chkg. Acc't to Reg. Chk'g	5,000.00		30,132.15
Disbursements:			
Building Expenses & Maintenance			
Custodian	4,483.00		
Utilities	2,219.87		
Ins. on Bldg.	1,637.00		
Maintenance & Household	8,704.85		
Property Tax on Bldg.	1,507.12		
Permit City of Palo Alto	100.00	18,651.84	
General Expense			
Activities Expense	1,690.69		
Office & Postage	475.28		
Telephone	654.59		
GFWC Dues	244.00		
Convention Expense	473.56		
Presidents' Pin	2.00		
Year Book & Bulletin	532.96		
Stop Paymt Check Chge	7.00	4,080.08	
Other Expenses			
Donations	1,330.00		
Program	225.00		
In Memoriam	150.00		
District Meeting Exp.	37.75		
Gift	10.00		
Refd Rental Deposits	3,214.00		
Transfer Funds from Chkg Acc't. to Int. Bearing Acc't.	3,000.00		
Transfer Funds from Chkg. Acc't to Int. Bearing Acct.	1,000.00	8,966.75	31,698.67
On Hand Wells Fargo Checking Acct. 6/1/92			**$3,770.67**

Loma Prieta District

CONVENTION

1991

FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO, MEMBER GFWC, CFWC

President: Gladys May BULLETIN OCTOBER, 1991 Bulletin Chm. Joyce Voorhies

President's Message ~

The fall season has arrived, as have our upcoming events. To have all members attend and enjoy the Club and activities is our goal. I encourage all members to invite their friends and neighbors to join us as we will be happy to accept new members at this time. "Today is the day."

Gladys May, President

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YEARBOOKS 1991-92

The new yearbooks are ready for distribution and will be handed out at our meeting on October 2nd. Yearbooks will be mailed to those members not present.

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BUSINESS MEETINGS & GAME TIME

We are experimenting with a new format. Our business meetings will be relatively short, followed by game time. We want our members to have fun and enjoy the Club and its activities. Game times need not necessarily be confined to bridge; those who wish to play other games such as canasta, gin rummy, pinochle, dominoes - even chess or mahjongg - are welcome to do so. Let's bring our friends and introduce them to the Club and invite them to join! New members are needed to swell our ranks. We urge each member to bring one and win one! (At business meetings the clubhouse will be open mid-morning for those who wish to start a game early.)

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SUNSHINE Chm. Georgia Spears

We are sorry to report several of our members have been on the sick list.

Peggy Cargill - recovering after hospitalization
Betty Brichta - gallbladder surgery
Ella Vandervoort - injuries sustained from auto accident (she was a passenger)
Jane Barrett - cold & flu

SUNSHINE (cont'd)

Frances Nicol - back problems

We wish each one a speedy and complete recovery.

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OCTOBER 16 PROGRAM MEETING, 12 noon

This meeting will feature a double-header, hence the early start. First, Lt. Cdr. Tom McMurray of Moffett Field Naval Air Station will be on hand to give us some interesting highlights about Moffett Field, its history and present-day function. This will be followed by our annual Veterans Bridge Benefit at 1:30 P.M. chaired by our president, Gladys May. The cost will be $4.00 per person. Bring cards and tallies. Dessert will be served at noon. Invite your friends and let's make this a BIG fund-raiser for the vets!
Please phone in your reservations to Lois Houghton (323-6941).

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NEW MEMBERS Chm. Betty Bonn

We welcome aboard the following new members:
Mrs. Doris Salabert
Mrs. Harry T. Pollard (Mary Fran)
Mrs. Kenneth Wright (Flo)
Mrs. Hal Hammerton (Vera) re-instated

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BOUTIQUE SALE Chm. Trudy Lung

Trudy has plans for a forthcoming boutique sale but needs many more items. She would welcome your donations of bric-abrac, costume jewelry, white elephants, etc. as soon as possible. Let's get busy cleaning out closets and drawers!

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OCTOBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Oct. 2 - Business meeting 1 P.M.
Game Time
Oct. 14 - Book Review, 10:30 A.M. clubhouse
Oct. 16 - Program meeting, 12 noon
Lt. Cdr. Tom McMurray will brief us about Moffett Field. Veterans Benefit Bridge follows at 1:30 P.M.

FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO, MEMBER GFWC, CFWC

President: Gladys May BULLETIN NOVEMBER, 1991 Bulletin Chm. Joyce Voorhies

November..... the beautiful, balmy, mellow, golden season of the year is upon us, bringing with it the Autumn leaves of russet and gold. It is also harvest time and Thanksgiving time, and the time when we reflect on our blessings and bounty and voice gratitude to our Creator.

Thanksgiving time is memory time
When we look back with gratitude
On the many gifts we have been given -
Simple gifts that add so much to the joy of living.....
The aroma of morning coffee, Sunday funnies,
A glad-to-see-you hug from a special friend....
A field of daisies, fresh strawberries,
A chorus of crickets on a summer night....
Rain falling softly on the roof,
Candleglow, sparkly snow, the laughter of a child.....
So many wonderful things to remind us
That life is good and we are blessed every day!

WE WISH YOU MANY SIMPLE GIFTS TO WARM THE HEART AT THANKSGIVING AND ALWAYS!

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Our annual VETERANS BRIDGE BENEFIT held on October 16 was successful in raising a total of $192 for this project, of which $27 was proceeds from a raffle. We are proud to be able to contribute toward this community effort.

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BOUTIQUE SALE RESULTS Chm. Trudy Lung

Trudy's boutique sale held on October 16 proved to be a veritable star attraction as treasure hunters flocked to her booth and swooped up most of her stock! The sale netted $76.25 for the club. The boutique is badly in need of more donations of bric-a-brac, costume jewelry, and what-have-you to stock up for another sale scheduled for December. This is a good source of raising money for our club, so please bear this in mind when disposing of articles you no longer want to keep.

LOCKING THE CLUBHOUSE FRONT DOOR can be a little tricky to some members who hold keys. For those experiencing difficulty in locking the door, we suggest using the kitchen door which closes easily by just slamming.

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1991-92 YEARBOOK Chm. Joyce Voorhies

Those who have not yet received their copy, or have found pages missing, please call Joyce Voorhies (949-2223) for a new copy.

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AFGHANS/LAP ROBES FOR HOSPITALIZED VETS

Georgia Spears is accepting sign-ups for volunteers to crochet or knit lap robes for our hospitalized veterans. For those who need instruction, suggestions or help, Georgia will be more than willing to assist in any way. This is a relaxing, fun thing to do at home on wintry nights, makes hands limber, too!

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COURTESY & SUNSHINE Chm. Georgia Spears

Peggy Cargay, who had been hospitalized, is now doing well at home.
Betty Brichta is convalescing after recent surgery.
Mel Lawrence (Irene's husband) who had been in the intensive care unit at Stanford, is now at home, improving every day. We are so glad to know he's much better.

On the sunny side, we are pleased to learn that Maryellen Schmitt has decided to remain in this area and not return to South Carolina. We hope, with her talents and expertise, she will chair our next fashion show as she has done so well in the past.

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IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Floyd Hill Davidson (Ruth)

We deeply regret the passing of Ruth Davidson, a long-time member, and extend condolences to her family.

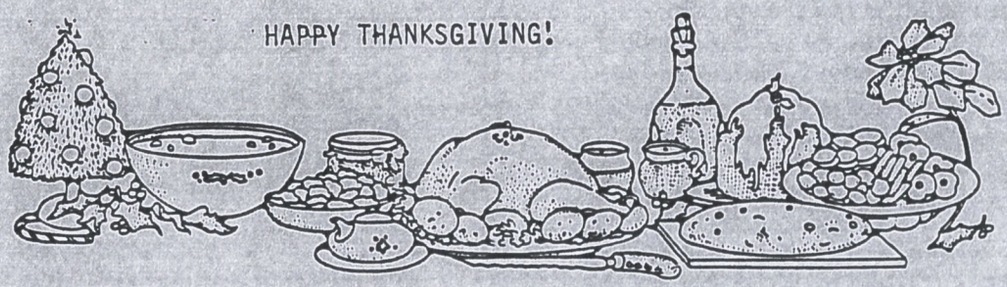
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 4...Board Meeting 10 AM clubhouse
Nov. 6...Business Meeting 1 PM
Game Time
Nov. 11...Book Review 10:30 AM clubhouse
Nov. 11...District Meeting, Women's Club, Cupertino
Nov. 20...Program Meeting 1 PM
Little House singing group "Silver Strands" will perform for us. Let's make it a full house. Bring your friends to enjoy an afternoon of music.

COME, YE THANKFUL PEOPLE, COME

Come, ye thankful people, come
Raise the song of harvest home;
All is safely gathered in,
Ere the winter storms begin;
God, our Maker, doth provide
For our wants to be supplied;
Come to God's own temple, come,
Raise the song of harvest home.

- Henry Alford -



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FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUB OF PALO ALTO, MEMBER GFWC, CFWC

President: Gladys May BULLETIN DECEMBER, 1991 Bulletin Chm. Joyce Voorhies

President's Message ~

Never a Christmas Morning,
Never an Old Year ends,
But Someone thinks of Someone,
Old Days, Old Times, Old Friends!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL OUR MEMBERS & FRIENDS! Each one of our members is encouraged to attend our meetings and join in the activities. This is YOUR club, and YOUR club needs your support! Do remember to come.

- Gladys May, President -

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BUSINESS MEETING/GAME TIME, DEC. 4

At this meeting, let us remember our hospitalized veterans during the holiday season with a little Christmas cheer. If each member would bring a little gift (marked for male or female veteran), it would most certainly lift their spirits and make it a real Merry Christmas.

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PROGRAM MEETING/CHRISTMAS PARTY, DEC. 18 at 12 noon. Co-Chm. Boots Gould
Lois Kirk

This will be a very special meeting when we celebrate our Christmas party. We urge all members to attend and bring a guest as well. Remember, the more, the merrier! Our co-chairmen are asking us to bring our favorite finger food for the holiday table. If unable to bring anything, come anyway. (Store-bought cookies, pies, etc. would be welcome, too). Furthermore, we will have an exchange of gifts, which should be fun. Bring a little something and take home something! This meeting will start at NOON with refreshments served at that time. At 1 PM the CLEF HANGERS, the Palo Alto Junior League's singing group, will entertain us with carols. A most enjoyable afternoon is in the offing - see you there!

COURTESY & SUNSHINE Chm. Georgia Spears

Our sincere and deep condolences go out to Frances May on the loss of her husband. Frances, we miss you, and hope to see you back at the club.

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BOOK REVIEW, DEC. 16 Chm. Phoebe Seagrave

Come to the clubhouse December 16* at 10:30 AM and hear Grace Bodley read her Christmas poem written especially for this occasion. Grace has composed poetry for special occasions since the age of 14, and consequently has a boxful of poems, one of which she will share with us on Monday, December 16.

Following her reading, there will be an open discussion about unusual personal Christmastime experiences which sounds intriguing!

(*) The Book Review Section will meet on the 3rd Monday of each month instead of the 2nd Monday, as stated in the yearbook. All members are invited to attend. The programs consist of a book reviewed by a member or a topic of general interest with participation by all members present.

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55 ALIVE DRIVER REFRESHER COURSE Chm. Georgia Spears

Another class is scheduled for February, 1992. A definite date will be announced in the January bulletin. These informative sessions are extremely helpful to seniors who wish to review safe driving techniques.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Dec. 2.....Board Meeting 10:00 AM, clubhouse
Dec. 4.....Business Meeting/Game Time, 1PM
Dec. 16....Book Review, 10:30 AM, clubhouse
Dec. 18....Program Meeting/Christmas Party 12 noon. Clef Hangers will entertain with carols at 1 PM.

WE WISH YOU A REAL MERRIE CHRISTMAS!

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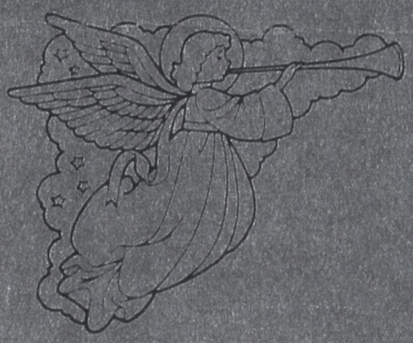

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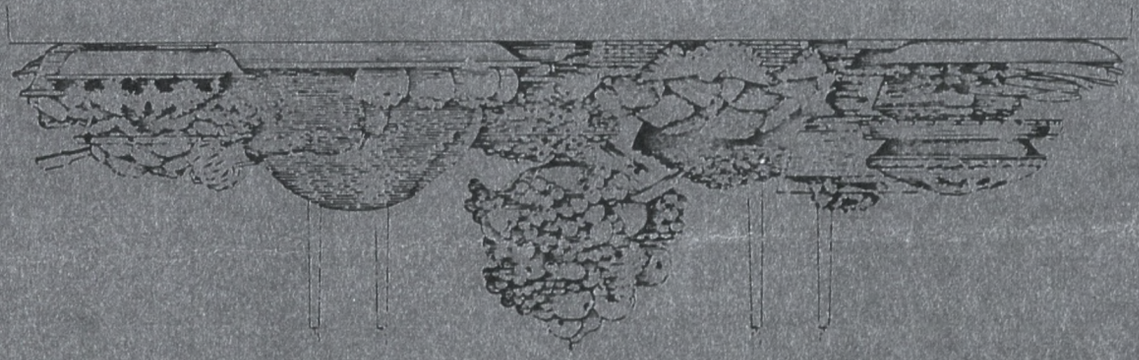

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President: Gladys May BULLETIN FEBRUARY, 1992 Bulletin Chm. Joyce Voorhies

President's Message ~

The reason there was no January Bulletin was due to illness. I truly hope that our members who have had pain and have suffered are greatly improved. The spring months, soon to arrive, should bring happy days and better health to all.

At this time, I wish to thank Jane Barrett for her excellent endeavors. The rentals of the Clubhouse are all that our members hoped for! Too, our custodians, Steve and Michael, have restored the floors and have concluded repair work.

Plan to attend our club meetings - see you there!

Gladys May, President

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PROGRAM MEETING FEB.19, 1 PM

This meeting will feature Nardia Beyer, a noted and talented harpist, who has played professionally before many Bay Area groups. Bring your friends to share a delightful afternoon of good music and refreshments.

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SPRING FASHION SHOW ALERT - MARCH 18

Plans for our annual spring fashion show are in progress. A new member, Sondra Bishop Eggert (329-8266) will be hostess with a committee of five. Save the date - more in our March Bulletin.

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55 ALIVE DRIVER REFRESHER COURSE, CLUBHOUSE

The AARP-sponsored 55 Alive Driver Refresher course is scheduled for February 11 and 13, 9 AM - 1 PM. (Bring sandwich, club will provide coffee). These informative sessions are extremely helpful to seniors who wish to review safe driving techniques. Fee is $8.00 for the two sessions, check payable to AARP. For signup, call Georgia Spears 856-6149. These classes qualify drivers for lower insurance rate.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR 1992

At our birthday potluck luncheon held on January 15, the following members were elected to serve on the Nominating Committee for 1992:

Georgia Spears
Margaret Gould
Phoebe Seagrave
Dorothy Arbuckle
Frances Payne

The committee will report nominations at the Business Meeting on March 4.

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COURTESY & SUNSHINE Chm. Georgia Spears

During December/January, several of our members were laid low with the flu bug or suffered viral infections. Among them, Ella Vandervoort, Joyce Voorhies, Beulah Hodges; Georgia Spears with pneumonia, Dorothy Arbuckle with asthma and emphysema, and Juanita Grimm and Virginia Salyer also suffered ailments. We are also sorry to report that Mel Lawrence (Irene's husband) whose jolly presence always graced our fashio shows, was hospitalized again at Stanford. He is now resting at home and Irene is busy nursing him back to health. Our best wishes go out to all for a speedy recovery. Welcome back to Jane Barrett after surgery. We are sorry to learn Leni Lane lost her mother recently. Our sincere condolences to Leni in her great loss.

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NEW MEMBERS Chm. Betty Bonn

We welcome aboard the following new members and are happy they have joined our club:

Lucile Larson
649 University, #H-314
Palo Alto, CA 94301
Tel. 321-5308

Sondra Bishop Eggert (Mrs. Alan L.)
750 Forest Avenue
Palo Alto, CA 94301
Tel. 329-8266

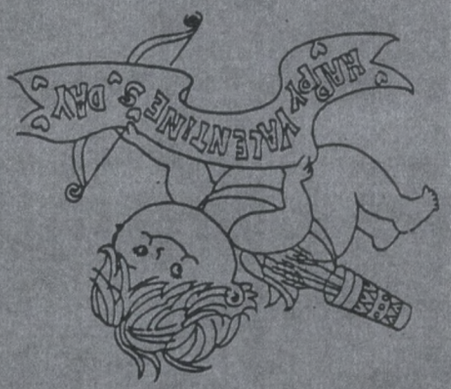
UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Feb. 3 (Mon.).....Board Meeting 10 AM
Feb. 5 (Wed.).....Business Meeting 1 PM
Game Time
Feb. 17 (Mon.).....Book Review 10:30 AM clubhouse
Feb. 19 (Wed.).....Program Meeting 1 PM
Nardia Beyer, harpist

For coming events not covered by this Bulletin at printing time, members will be informed by the Telephone Committee if such events take place.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

WE LOVE YOU ALL!



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

TODAY IS THE DAY

Today is the day of beginning
to do the best I can,
For I never shall have this moment
Or be given this chance again.

Today is the day of beginning
To be what I want to portray,
For the rest of my life will be molded
By the action I take today.

Today is the day of beginning
Of eternity for me.
In the Book of Life is my record,
How shall it look to Thee?

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YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND. . . . .

"FASHIONS FROM OTHER CULTURES"

Our 66th Annual Spring Fashion Show
(and celebrating the Club's 98th birthday)

March 18, 12 noon at the clubhouse

Tickets: $12 - make checks payable to: The Woman's Club of Palo Alto and mail to Helen Rowan, Reservations Chairman, 1246 Pitman Ave., Palo Alto, CA 94301. Please indicate names of your guests so that Helen can arrange for you to be seated together.

This year,we are indeed fortunate to have as our Fashion Show Co-ordinator, Sondra Bishop Eggert, a new member who is well experienced in the field of fabrics, textiles and fashions. Luncheon will be served at noon and, as usual, there will be a plentiful array of doorprizes and raffle prizes for lucky people to take home. The cost is very reasonably priced at $12 and four tickets are enclosed (we hope you will use them all by inviting your friends.)

A few words from Sondra.....

Have you ever wanted to lose yourself in the sounds and colors of other cultures?

(Continued)

If that appeals to you, the opportunity awaits you on March 18 at the clubhouse at our annual Spring Fashion Show which will feature traditional clothing from exotic places, such as:

Thailand, Japan, Mexico, Syria, China, India, Indonesia, Baltic Regions, Africa, American Indian, Philippines, and others.

Nancy Amberg at Master Styling, 1030 Curtis, corner of Menlo Avenue, Menlo Park - 325-7887 - has been generous in donating her time and expertise to coif the models. She also has offered free hair consultations to all attending. Give her a call and have a new look for spring.

A make-up update - $50 value and a manicure have been donated as prizes for our raffle by "Eyes on You", 416 Waverley, Palo Alto, 323-6117.

So please attend and enjoy an afternoon that promises to be memorable for all.

- Sondra Bishop Eggert -

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LOMA PRIETA DISTRICT MEETING & ART SHOW

MARCH 9 AT THE CLUBHOUSE

Our club will be the host club and the meetin will start early with registration and coffee served at 9 AM and the meeting will convene at 10 AM. Luncheon will be served at $8.50 per person. For reservations, call Margaret Gould - 325-4749 - and send check made payable to The Woman's Club of Palo Alto to her at 750 Palo Alto Avenue, Palo Alto, CA 94301. A big turnout is anticipated.

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MARCH 4, BUSINESS MEETING, 1 PM

At this meeting the Nominating Committee will name the nominees for the club year 1992-1993.

COURTESY & SUNSHINE Chm. Georgia Spears

We are sorry to report that Mariesue Wyatt had a fall and was hospitalized for a week. She is now convalescing at home.

Beulah Hodges has been away, helping a sick relative. She herself recently recovered from a bout of pneumonia.

Juanita Grimm is now in a nursing home.

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IN MEMORIAM

Elizabeth Millar who joined our club in 1988.
Mrs. G. Laurence Weiler who was president 1959-1960.

Condolences have been sent to their respective families.

COMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR

March 30 - Board meeting 10 AM
April 1 - Business meeting 1 PM
Election of Officers
Game Time
Apr. 3-4 - Loma Prieta District Convention
Silicon Valley Sheraton, Milpitas
(more information in next bulletin)
Carpooling can be arranged
April 15 - Honoring Past Presidents, 1 PM
Program: Flute & Piano Duo
(more information in next bulletin)
April 20 - Book Review, 10:30 AM, clubhouse

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HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!

DID YOU KNOW? ...VOLUNTEERS GO TO HEAVEN!

Volunteers, GOD BLESS THEM,
Many will be shocked to find
When the Day of Judgment nears
That there's a special place in heaven
Set aside for volunteers.
Furnished with big recliners,
Satin couches and footstools,
Where there's no committee chairmen,
No groupleaders or carpools.
No eager team that needs a coach,
No bazaar and no bake sale,
There will be nothing to staple
Not one thing to fold or mail.
Telephone lists will be outlawed,
But a finger snap will bring
Cool drinks and gourmet dinners
And treats fit for a king.
You ask, "Who'll serve these privileged few
And work for all they're worth?"
Why, all those who reaped the benefits
And not once volunteered on Earth.

From Ann Landers column

God hath no end of material for prophets, priests and kings,
But what He needs is volunteers to do the little things! SO DOES YOUR CLUB!

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SPRINGTIME

When spring arrives and winter winds take flight
the earth awakens as the robins sing!
The world turns green with promise overnight
and hope is born anew in everything.
What peace it brings to feel the gentle rains
that wash away the cares of yesterday,
To walk in sunlit fields and leafy lanes
where dancing breezes make the soft grass sway.
Wildflowers bloom in every rainbow hue - -
their gift of perfume lingers in the air...
The misty meadows shine with morning dew.
A tranquil beauty settles everywhere.
Each season holds its share of lovely things
But few compare to those that springtime brings!

-Linda Staten-

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FASHION SHOW POSTLUDE

Those who attended our 66th spring fashion show "Fashions from other Cultures" were lavish in their praise that this unique showing of ethnic fashions, accented by colorful ethnic jewelry and music, was a most interesting and delightful treat to both ear and eye (not omitting stomach, as the luncheon was enjoyable, too.) The stage props, so artistically displayed, flags of all nations, and Betty Brichta's doll collection dressed in costumes of many lands all lent a multicultural flavor. A big, beautiful bouquet to Sondra Bishop Eggert who master-minded the show down to the smallest detail, and what a splendid job it was! We are also grateful to her friends who helped to model and provide the commentary. We also wish to express appreciation to:
Helen Rowan for her excellent job in handling the reservations and seating arrangements;
Houghton and the volunteers who set up tables and prepared the coffee, tea, etc.
Boots Gould for collecting raffle prizes;
The generous members who contributed prizes, without which no fashion show would be complete.

FASHION SHOW (cont'd)

On the financial side, proceeds from sale of tickets grossed $985, raffle $100 - total $1085. After deductions for cost of lunch, etc., there remains a net amount of approximately $629.

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GIFT OF OLD GLORY

Jane Barrett has very kindly presented a flag to the club which she specially ordered through Congressman Tom Lantos. With the flag came a certificate bearing the following inscription:

"This is to certify that the accompanying flag was flown over the United States Capitol on January 27, 1992 at the request of the Hon. Tom Lantos, member of Congress.
This flag was flown for The Woman's Club of Palo Alto."

Thank you, Jane, for this very meaningful gift which we will always treasure.

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PROGRAM MEETING, APRIL 15, 12:30 PM

Chm. Georgia Spears

This will be a very special meeting when we honor our past presidents. Finger food will be served. To top it off, Nardia Beyer will entertain us with harp music.
Trudy Lung will also have her boutique open.
This promises to be a fun afternoon, so do plan to attend.

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COURTESY & SUNSHINE Chm. Georgia Spears

Dorothy Arbuckle has been laid low with emphysema and pneumonia. We wish her a speedy recovery.
Cards have been sent to Juanita Grimm, Sadie Higbee, Virginia Salyer, Beulah Hodges (hospitalized for pneumonia in Texas), Mariesue Wyatt (fall, was hospitalized), Irene Lawrence - fall. We trust all are making good progress at this time.

UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR

4/13 - Book Review, 10:30 AM, clubhouse
4/15 - Program Meeting, Honoring past presidents. Finger food.
Nardia Beyer, harpist will entertain.
Trudy's boutique will be open.
5/4 - Board meeting 10 AM
5/6 - Business meeting, 1 PM
Game time
5/11 - Book Review, 10:30 clubhouse
5/20 - Installation of new officers 1992-93
Karen M. Trydahl, pianist will play.

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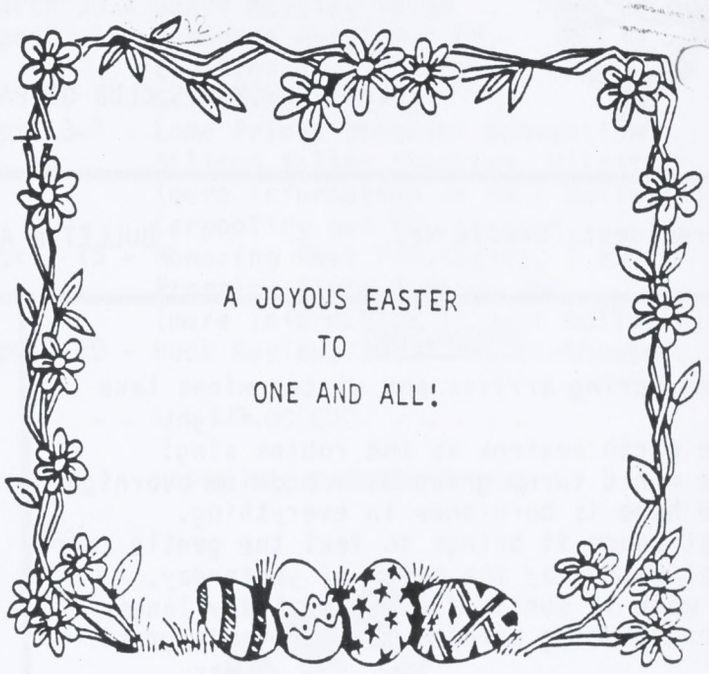
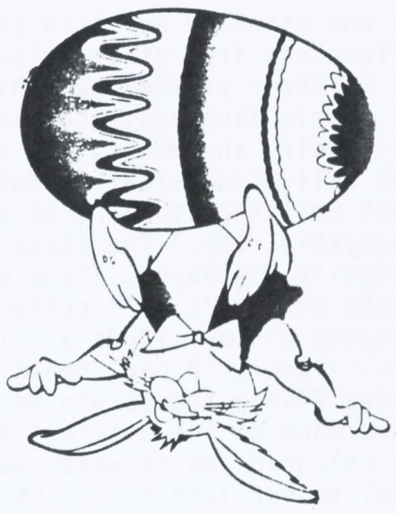
CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN!

What joy this message brings!
All nature wakens to the Word
And every glad heart sings,
And here's a prayer for Easter
That your blessings will increase,
And that this lovely season
Fills your heart with love and peace.





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IN PRAISE OF MOTHERS - MOTHER'S DAY MAY 10

No One Can Take Mother's Place

A mother is someone who knows all our needs,
Our hopes and dreams and desires,
With a genuine interest in all that we do--
Someone who guides and inspires.
A mother's heart is so full of compassion,
So generous, kind and forgiving--
A mother's smile is so loving and tender
And adds so much gladness to living.
A mother is someone with infinite patience
Who soothes all our troubles away,
Someone with limitless faith in her children
And love for them day after day.
A mother is full of true wisdom and strength
Of loveliness, insight and grace--
She's someone whose love we will cherish
forever,
For no one can take Mother's place!

HAPPY MOTHER's DAY!

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55 ALIVE - MATURE DRIVING Chm. Georgia Spears

Signups are again being accepted for this 2-session refresher course to be held on May 12 and 14, 9 AM - 1 PM. Instructor will be Joanne Fonda (no relation to Jane). Checks for $8.00 to be made out to the Woman's Club of Palo Alto and mailed to Georgia Spears. For more information, call Georgia 856-6149.

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HONORING OUR PAST PRESIDENTS

This special meeting held on April 15 was special in every way --- the outstanding finger food provided by Georgia Spears and her committee; the heavenly harp music performed by talented Nardia Beyer; a the good attendance of both members and Gaveleers. Trudy's boutique took in $40.55 that day, depleting much of the stock. Please remember this source of fundraising for the club when clearing out your closets and cupboards.

JUST A REMINDER FROM THE PARLIAMENTARIAN

(Frances Payne)

Standing Rules adopted May 2, 1984.

#1. All keys to the clubhouse should be given to the new President at the close of each year and reissued by her.

Bylaws Article IV, Sect. 3

Annual dues shall be $30.00 payable before the second meeting in May. The Treasurer shall send notice of dues payable on April 1, and shall send second notice prior to second meeting in May.

Please send your check in amount of $30.00 for the 1992-93 dues (payable to the Woman's Club of Palo Alto) to our Treasurer, Ella Vandervoort, 14690 Manuella Road, Los Altos Hills, CA 94022.
Dues must be paid by May 15 or name will be dropped from the new roster.

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INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS MAY 20.

The new Board for 1992-93 will be installed at the May 20 meeting. It is anticipated that Mary Jane Morton, who has held many important offices on the District level, will be the installing officer. Entertainment will be provided by Karen M. Trydahl, a noted pianist. Plan to attend and bring a guest (hopefully, a prospective member!)

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BOOK REVIEW MONDAY, MAY 18, 10:30 AM, CLUBHOUSE

Phoebe Seagrave will review Robert Fulghum's new book "Uh-oh/Some Observations from Robert Fulghum" -- a light-hearted and hilarious morning is assured, in keeping with Fulghum's works!

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SUNSHINE & COURTESY Ch. Georgia Spears

Welcome back to Irene Lawrence and Beulah Hodges who have been absent on account of illness. It was good to see them both looking so fit again.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Marguerite Cargay (Peggy)

Her passing in April is deeply regretted.

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JUNE 2 PRIMARY

These are critical times, so we urge each of our members to go to the polls on Tuesday, June 2, and vote for the candidates and issues of your choice and persuasion. Every vote counts! Make your voice heard! Absentee ballots can be applied for from the Registrar of Voters on the form sent out with the sample ballot.

☒ VOTE ☒ VOTE ☒ VOTE ☒ VOTE ☒ VOTE

UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 4.....Combined Board meeting 10 AM
May 6.....Business meeting, 1 PM
Game Time
May 12-14...55 Alive Mature refresher driver course 9AM-1PM, clubhouse
May 18 .....Book Review 10:30 AM, clubhouse
May 20 .....Installation of new Officers, 1992-93. Karen M. Trydahl at the piano.
May 27.....Bridge Playoff, clubhouse
May 31.....End of Fiscal Year 1992.

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SUMMER BRIDGE LUNCHEONS

Plans are underway to hold monthly bridge luncheons during our summer recess. Details will appear in our next newsletter.

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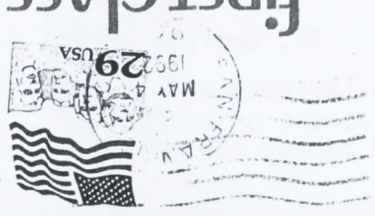
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